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Human Trafficking Community Awareness Virtual 1-Day Summit

July 9, 2019

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Presenter Information

Dawn Heath-Fiedler

Title: Founder and President of Join the Movement Events, Inc. to Stop Human Trafficking

Presentation Title: "Social Media's Role in Trafficking our Youth"

Bio: Dawn is currently the Founder and President of Join the Movement Events, Inc. to stop human trafficking, a 501c3 non-profit with a mission to bring community education at the ground level. She also specializes in social media awareness and internet safety, hospitality training, medical professional training, senior exploitation, and educating families with young children how to teach their children who they can trust and setting boundaries at an early age. Dawn is an advocate for victims, helping them with the resources needed to make the changes in their lives. She is also a founding member of the Walworth County Anti-Human Trafficking Task Force. The Rotary District #6270 Anti-Human Trafficking Ad-Hoc Committee Chair and is a charter member of the Rotary club to end Human Trafficking.

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Jenny Almquist

Title: Co-Founder and Executive Director of Fierce Freedom

Bio: Jenny first learned about the horrors of human trafficking in 2008, which led to the birth of Fierce Freedom. As Executive Director, Jenny works to build the organization so that awareness and education about the issue can continue to spread. Her main goal is to educate and move people to action, to work toward the abolishment of human trafficking and exploitation. Jenny enjoys writing, reading, and public speaking. In her time away from the office, you will find Jenny gardening, traveling and spending time with her husband and children.

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Lisa Otterbacher

Title: Crime Victim Advocate, Retired Chief of Police of the City of Whitewater Police Department, BS Criminal Justice, Master's Degree in Justice and Securities

Presentation Title: "The What, Who, How and Why of Human Trafficking & How to Battle Against it."

Bio: During her 31-year career in law enforcement, Lisa Otterbacher worked her way up from a police officer to the Chief of Police of the City of Whitewater Police Department in Whitewater, Wis., a college community nestled alongside the University of Wisconsin - Whitewater. "I've had the honor to work with many individuals who found themselves unexpectedly navigating some of the most difficult challenges of their life," Otterbacher said. She helped found the Walworth County Sensitive Crimes Response Team. After a mere six months of retirement, Otterbacher felt a calling to give back to her community, and she became a crime victim advocate for a nonprofit that helps victims of domestic and sexual abuse. "I'm humbled to be a part of the team at New Beginnings, where we partner with individuals who are seeking to take back their lives," she said. "I'm dedicated to walking this journey with them, to successfully navigate a complex legal and court system to overcome choices that they had no voice in, as they renew the person they were designed to be." Otterbacher is a charter member of Join the Movement board of directors, working to bring the horrible reality of Human Trafficking to the forefront through awareness and education. In their spare time, she and her husband enjoy hiking, biking and driving motorcycles across the country to visit their children, friends and family.

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Emmy Myers

Title: Trafficking Survivor, Public Speaker, Founder of Lacey's Hope Project, Crisis Intervention Specialist, Caregiver and Executive Director of two local assisted living facilities

Presentation title: "My Story"

Bio: Emmy is a trafficking survivor, leader, community advocate, speaker, and source of knowledge and inspiration for others. She founded Lacey's Hope Project to help end the social justice issues of sex trafficking and drug abuse. Named in tribute to a friend who lost her life to a trafficker, Lacey's Hope Project represents the promise of change, restoration and healing.

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Representative Amy Loudenbeck

Title: Wisconsin State Representative Amy Loudenbeck

Presentation title: "State of Wisconsin and Federal Policy Update"

Bio: Rep. Loudenbeck was first a member of the Wisconsin State Assembly in 2010 and authored her first bill to combat human trafficking in 2011. Since then she has authored multiple bills to help prosecutors and law enforcement fight back against the evil forces that profit from this brutal form of modern slavery. She has also passed laws to create a human trafficking resource center hotline poster, help children who are victims of sex trafficking, and improve policies for child protective services. In addition, Rep. Loudenbeck authored several laws allowing for better access to employment, mental health services, and shelter options for vulnerable populations, such as homeless and unaccompanied youth, who are often targeted for human trafficking.

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Cathy Duchow-Cross

Title: Board Certified Family Nurse Practitioner and Forensic Nurse Examiner

Presentation Title: "Knowledge is Power"

Bio: Cathy is a Board Certified Family Nurse Practitioner and Forensic Nurse Examiner. She is currently completing her PMHNP at Alverno College. Currently she is the Forensic and Sexual Assault Coordinator for two local hospitals in the area where she and her family reside. She has spent her entire adult life in the medical field. Starting her career as a volunteer Firefighter EMT for her local volunteer fire department. From there she went on to get her Registered Nursing degree from Cardinal Stritch University. She spent the majority of her career as a Emergency Room RN. She received her BSN from Chamberlain College and her MSN with a Family Nurse Practitioner focus at Alverno College. Currently she is on the Board of Directors for New Beginnings APFV (Association for the Prevention of Family Violence), and Join the Movement, Inc.

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John Pulley

Title: Demand Reduction Expert, Donor Relations for Fierce Freedom

Presentation Title: "What You Have to Know About the Porn-Trafficking Connection"

Bio: After attending his first conference on human trafficking in the summer of 2018, John's eyes were opened to how prevalent and pervasive sex trafficking is in America. In spring of 2019, he made the commitment to leave his career in sales and move from Dallas, TX to join the work of Fierce Freedom. As a public speaker, writer, and lifelong sales professional, John's skill set fits perfectly into Fierce Freedom's mission. John speaks about the demand side of trafficking at regional and national conferences as well as leading donor relations and fundraising efforts at Fierce Freedom.

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Genise Hope

Title: Survivor of childhood sexual abuse and the Author of Raising PEARLS: Prepared, Empowered, Armored, Restored, Loved & Secure Children

Presentation Title: "Raising P.E.A.R.L.S"

Bio: Genise Hope is a survivor of childhood sexual abuse and the author of Raising PEARLS: Prepared, Empowered, Armored, Restored, Loved & Secure Children, released in September 2019 by Elm Hill/HarperCollins Christian Publishing. She and her husband of 26 years have three adult biological children and two little ones adopted from foster care. She has received training for foster parenting, trauma, human trafficking, and is an authorized Facilitator for Darkness to Light's Stewards of Children Training. Her life experience with trauma has given her the passion to protect as many children in the world as possible through teaching prevention.

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